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NOTICE OF SALE BY AUCTION

Take notice that under and by virtue of the powers contained in a lien note made by J. Edward Ellison, of Reid Hill, to McDonald Brothers, of Brant, there will be sold by public auction at the Vulcan Livery Barn, on Saturday the 21st day of March 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following chattels:

One black mare, branded  on jaw.
One sorrel mare, branded  on left shoulder, and  on jaw.

Fred C. Alcock, Auctioneer, Champion, Alberta.

For further particulars apply to P. W. Clark, Barrister, Vulcan, Alberta.

Dated this 6th day of March, 1914.

Marquis Municipality

The meetings of the council of the Municipality of Marquis are held the second Saturday in each month, at the McGregor School House at 10 a.m.

A. E. BOND, Chairman.
R. E. HOUSE, Secretary-Treasurer

Local And General News

Thomas L. Berfinger, of Brant, has been appointed an official auditor.

Stetson & Buckley Hats—the newest stuff—at Spooners.

Mr. Kahler was a visitor to Red Deer last week.

Mr. J. Cayiel made a trip to Nanton last week.

Mr. Torgeson is entertaining his brother and a friend Mr. Gibbon.

Mr. Frank Rutten and family have removed to their new house on Railway Avenue.

Mr. George Terwilliger has returned from his trip to Minneapolis.

Mrs. J. A. Gardner has returned from her visit to Waureka, Okla., and has brought her sister Miss Huffman back with her.

Mr. England, of the staff of Messrs. Elves Brothers, has recently left for Empress to take up his homestead duties.

Father Beausoliel will say mass at Vulcan in the Schoolhouse on Saturday the 28th of March at 10:30 a.m.

Joseph Fels, the millionaire soap manufacturer, whose will was filed recently, leaves his entire fortune to his widow with the exception of \$50,000 which his secretary Walter Coates receives "as a token of appreciation of faithfulness to me and as a man."

The Oddfellows called a special meeting on Monday evening last.

Mr. Rodgers, of Brunetta, is gazetted as a J.P.

Messrs. H. W. Reeves have enlisted the services as clerk, of Mr. Steves, who comes from Calgary.

Mr. R. L. Elves arrived back from Cayley on Saturday morning last feeling fully recovered from his recent attack of pleurisy.

The horses shipped in by Messrs. Anderson and Forsyth have created much interest during the past week, and a number of local sales are reported.

S. L. Taube, of the Taube Optical Co., Calgary, will be at Jone's Drug Store on Wednesday March 25th, and will be glad to have anyone troubled with bad eyesight call and consult him. Mr. Taube has had 43 years experience in optical work and is fully qualified to give every satisfaction.

The choir of the Vulcan Presbyterian Church have commenced practice of special Easter music. The service for that day is to be choral for the most part. Besides anthems there will be a solo from Mr. A. J. Jones. A further announcement will be made later.

We are pleased to be able to report that Mrs. C. Zhand is making satisfactory progress. It will be remembered that Mrs. Zhand was taken to the Calgary hospital recently to be treated for blood-poisoning.

Coming—The Toronto Ladies Quartette—At Shimp's Hall, Vulcan, April 3rd, 1914. Tickets now on sale at Shimp's Office, 25c., 50c., 75c. and \$1.00.

The meeting of the baseball club which is to be held to-night Tuesday March 24th, at eight o'clock in the office of Mr. M. F. Earp is important. If you are interested in the welfare of the club be sure to attend.

The new management at the Imperial hotel is seeing to it that the hotel is to be up-to-date in every respect. Considerable expense has been gone to in order that the comfort of patrons may be assured. The hotel is second to none.

Now that the time for spring work is at hand signs of activity are evident on all hands. The firm of Messrs. Irving Limited have been working at full capacity in the harness section, and the appearance of the H. F. Richardson implement agency resembles a manufacturers plant more than anything else we know of. Reports from all sections say that Vulcan is to have a splendid business spring.

Arrived—Fit-Reform Mens Suits—they are nifty—at Spooners.

85% of all headaches are the result of eye-strain, are you troubled that way? If so consult S. L. Taube of the Taube Optical Co., Calgary, he will be at the Vulcan Drug Store on Wednesday March 25th.

Charles F. Niles, of New York, achieved a new feat in aviation at Meadow Brook, Long Island, recently by flying more than half a mile in a Moissant monoplane head downward. Niles daring feat has never been accomplished, or even attempted, by any aviator. He was strapped firmly to his seat only his arms being free.

The Rev. D. A. McKillop, well known in connection with the Associated Charities of Calgary, has resigned the general secretaryship of that organization. Mr. Kenneth McNicoll was appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. McNicoll has been Mr. McKillop's assistant and right hand man for almost three years. Mr. McKillop resigned in order to become the business manager of the three hospitals of the city.

Council Meeting

There was a Council meeting called for the evening of March 17, to consider the tenders for the building of the firehall. Councillor Lebow was unavoidably absent.

The tenders were opened by the Secretary-Treasurer. There were five of them, four being tenders for the work on the hall and stable only and one of them a double contract, for work only, and also the entire contract, supplying material.

The contracts for work alone varied considerably in their estimate, leading Terry to remark that it looked as if there had been some guessing going on. The prices of contracts as opened were: \$328.30; \$295.00; \$223.75; and \$165.00. The double contract was—work alone, \$415.00; the whole contract \$1200.

All these contracts were submitted on the understanding that the work was to be completed, weather permitting, by the first of May.

Councillor Terry, in remarking on the contracts, said that they presented some difficulty as regard decision. Personally, he did not think that a really good job could be expected for any less than about \$300, but they were there not to study the figures alone. They had to consider the abilities of the various contractors. It was clear to him, as it would be to anyone who had been connected with the building trade that the lowest tenders were not covering the question sufficiently, and although in the interests of the ratepayers it was the duty of the council to save as much money as possible, they, the council did not want to do that at the expense of a good serviceable building. He asked Councillor Clark whether they ought to accept the lowest, and he said that the question of price was not the only consideration, there was a little over a hundred dollars difference between the highest and the lowest tenders. Terry said that the contract for the whole job was too high; the council could put it up for less than that by buying their own material. He asked for the opinion of the Secretary-Treasurer on the matter, but that gentleman refrained from giving an answer either way. Clark wanted to know whether the tender of \$415 called for more than the building job was worth, but Terry didn't give any definite reply thereto, merely saying that it was the right thing to pay a reasonable price for the work.

In enquiring into the \$165 and \$223.75 tenders, Clark asked whether the former had erected any buildings, and no affirmative answer could be given.

It was eventually decided to award the contract to the bidder of \$223.75, who was Mr. Fred Smith.

In connection with it the contractor is to be asked to sign a contract to have the building finished by the first of May, with a bad weather allowance of fifteen days, and a forfeit of \$3 per day after that time.

The Secretary-Treasurer was appointed to be the chief of works.

This was embodied in a resolution by Clark and seconded by Terry, Carried.

In the matter of the hardware and paper tenders, which were read item by item, it was moved by Terry and seconded by Clark that the tender of the Lindsay Hardware Company be accepted. Carried.

In the reading of the tenders for the lumber there was much comparison of the prices for the various materials. There was not much variation between the three tenders, although items showed a difference. It was therefore resolved that the lumber at the cheapest figure be selected and bought between the three tendering companies.

The question of gravel and sand was next considered. The reeve mentioned that the contractors for the new Bank of Commerce were shipping a car load into the town in a day or two, and that the company had made an offer to the town at \$3 a yard. It was agreed to accept this price.

The council then adjourned.

New subscribers are getting more numerous around the Advocate office. But don't tell your friend who has not yet subscribed to stay away on account of the crush. Send him along—we can handle them all.

Ladies Aid Supper

The ladies of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid held their advertised supper on Tuesday evening last in the Masonic Hall. As is usual with all events given by this society there was a first rate affair quite up to the expectations of all who availed themselves of taking supper there.

There were a good many people present at the opening hour and from then until the close of the supper at 8 o'clock the tables were almost fully occupied. The feast which had been prepared was worth fifty cents of anybodys money. It was called a chicken supper but the ladies in charge evidently thought that out as a name only for there were all sorts of salads, pies, cakes, pastries and what not. Their estimation of the average appetite was exceedingly generous to say the least of it. Incidentally the patrons did their best to live up to a reputation not always so provided for along the lines of a Ladies Aid supper. During the time that supper was on there were gramophone and pianoforte selections.

The weather was against the proceedings being quite as well patronized as they might have been, for late in the afternoon a heavy wind got up and brought with it a sprinkling of snow. This must have kept a number of intending patrons away. But as it was the Ladies Aid are to be congratulated on the great success attending their efforts for the proceeds amounted to somewhere in the neighbourhood of \$50.

Letter to the Editor

Mr. Editor,—I have noticed that during the past few weeks you have devoted much of your editorial space to the discussion of the fire question. This is good work, to my mind, and your paper is doing all in its power to bring the townspeople of Vulcan to realize their present position. Personally I think it is hopeless and until we have a better and more efficient system of fire protection the engines are useless, and the town has put its money out to no profit.

But what I want to refer to specially is the prairie fire which occurred south of the town on the afternoon of Saturday March 7th.

The fire bell rang and the townspeople who were able were not only supposed to go out and fight it but they were obliged by law. And yet the only response was the turn-out of less than twenty men. A significant absence from these was that of the fire chief himself who ought to have been one of the first on the spot.

Thanking you for publishing this,

Yours,

Peter Terry.

S.S. Convention in Vulcan

The annual Sunday School Convention of the Sunday Schools around Vulcan is being arranged for by Mr. H. F. Richardson and the Rev. D. K. Allan. It is to take place on Tuesday March 31st. Speakers from Lethbridge, High River and the ministers of the United Brethren from Sunny Plain and Reid Hill will take part.

The program is not yet complete but will be in the hands of the printer in a few days. Further announcement regarding this important local convention will be published in succeeding issues.

The general stores of Vulcan are completing the opening up of their new spring goods which will be displayed as soon as ever possible. In the matter of being up to date the storekeepers are maintaining their stand of previous seasons. Choice assortments in every department are being prepared for display and nowhere is there a town of the same size with a greater aggregation of choice spring goods to set before the customers. The consignments are larger than ever and the purchasing public of Vulcan and district will be able to satisfy their every want in their own town.

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I wanted to marry her against her father's will. Regular peach. I suppose? No. She's one of those can't-love-kind.

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Manitoba Educational Association

The Ninth Annual Convention of the Manitoba Educational Association will be held in Winnipeg, April 13th, 14th and 15th, 1914.

The Executive has been fortunate this year in obtaining the consent of Dr. Nathaniel Butler, of the University of Chicago, to attend the Convention. Dr. Butler will address the Convention twice on subjects which will be announced later. Other speakers will be Dr. Bland of the United Colleges, Winnipeg, and Mr. Norman P. Black of Regina.

In the elementary section, the programme will deal with Physical culture, children's games, geography and history, all of which subjects will be handled in a practical manner. In connection with this section, there will also be a practical class demonstration by pupils of a rural school.

The secondary section promises to be of unusual interest, as the executive are making arrangements for a conference between university and high school teachers, for a discussion of the high school course.

During the progress of the Convention, there will be classes for instruction in basketry, paper folding and cutting, sewing and art.

In accordance with a previous announcement there will be an exhibit of work from rural schools. Twenty schools sent in exhibits of work last year. The executive hope for a still keener competition this year. Prizes of \$25.00, \$15.00 and \$10.00 are offered for the three best exhibits.

The usual Convention rate of a single fare will be granted by the various railroads. These coming to the Convention should secure Standard Certificates from the ticket agent when purchasing their tickets.



MISS ESTHER M. JONES

City Clerk, Lethbridge, Alberta

Miss Esther M. Jones of Lethbridge, Alberta, enjoys the distinction of being the first woman to hold the office of City Clerk in a Canadian City.

The new City Charter providing Commission Government for Lethbridge also provides for equal suffrage. At the late city election in Lethbridge there was a registration of more than 600 women voters. The moral effect of the new element is probably reflected in the selection of a young woman for city clerk.

Miss Jones is a native of Sarnia, Ontario and has for the last three years been a stenographer in the Lethbridge city offices.

Kept the Opposition Busy

The only instance known wherein an employee was paid by his employer for gambling occurred in New Orleans. Walter Lamann, a child of wealthy Italians, was kidnapped and the interest was intense throughout the gulf coast country.

The staffs of the two leading morning dailies were engaged in "draw" after hours when the city editor of one of them was called out. He summoned a reporter.

Get back in there and play at the paper's expense he hissed. Make it lively.

The reporter raised 'em and hoisted 'em and lifted 'em for an hour.

Then the game was broken up by cries of "Extra! Extra!" and the staff of the other paper read with emotion that the body of the child had been found.

There was a ten dollar check from the editor in the reporter's envelope next day.

A "futurist" orchestra has been organized in Paris. The cats on the back fences will now have professional opposition.

SHILOH

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, and heals the throat and lungs. 11 25 cents.

Truth—And Then Some

A Cleveland man visited the land of his fathers on a recent vacation and while in the Emerald Isle took a trip to the lakes of Killarney. His guide of course, told the most wonderful stories and legends of the region.

Pat, said the Clevelander, do you ever lie about these things?

No, sir, asserted Pat. I never lie about them. I always tell the truth in every particular, only I adds to it.

Willie Had Been Peeping

Mrs. Kewler—Your sister's fiance's name is Turpin, I understand.

Willie—Yes, and I guess he must be a descendant of Dick Turpin, 'cause he holds sister up every time he calls.

Men and the Flag

Uncle Sam is advertising for a woman to patch battle-flags at \$3 a day—and only pays \$15 a month to the men who carry them!

Dangerous

I am thinking of touring in South Africa next season, remarked the comedian.

Take my advice and don't, replied the villain. An ostrich egg weighs from two to three pounds.

You can't avoid duty by taking a by-path.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

One mother of a large household has a system of recreation which is really a novelty. The day and its duties are carefully apportioned, and the schedule is followed as closely as possible. By doing this the mother is able to take one afternoon a day for complete rest. In her case it is from 2 to 3 o'clock. She places a large placard at this time on the stairs, proclaiming "Silence." By the mother's persistence in taking this quiet hour others have grown to respect it until it has become a part of the home. In her home the mother really rests or else reads. No one goes near her unless it is absolutely necessary. The children close doors quietly when they see the placard and play where their voices will not reach the mother's room. At the end of the sixty minutes the mother reappears and takes up her usual duties. Several hours of absolute freedom a week can do a great deal to make over and refresh a weary body and still more weary nerves. An hour for rest in almost every household can be found if things are done systematically.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

A colonel wanted a manservant, so he inserted an advertisement in the local weekly and received a great many applications, but none of them suited his requirements. But at last an Irishman was shown into his presence.

What I want, said the colonel, is a useful man—one who can cook, drive a motor, look after a pair of horses, clean boots and windows, feed the poultry, milk the cow, and do a little painting and paperhanging.

Excuse me, sir, cried Murphy, what kind of soil have ye here?

Soil! snapped the colonel, what's that got to do with it?

Well, replied Murphy, I thought that if the soil was clay, I might make bricks in my spare time.

Bacon—What's become of that young man typewriter you had?

Egbert—Oh, he's gone away, for a while.

Not discharged?

No, I have sent him to the house of correction for a time.

Too Cheap

Shall I dissolve another pearl in the chalice for your breakfast? asked Charmion.

No, replied Cleopatra. Pearls are too inexpensive and commonplace. Boli me an egg.

Theatrical

Guest—Anything good at the theatre this week? You know, something I couldn't take my wife to?

THIN-BLOODED MEN AND WOMEN

Need the Rich, Red Blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Actually Make

Thin-blooded people do not remain so from choice, but from indifference; in some cases from despair. People who are pale, languid, with palpitation of the heart, some difficulty in breathing and a tendency to be easily tired are suffering from thin blood. They need only the resolution to take the right treatment and stick to it until cured. The remedy that can be relied upon is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. With every dose they make new blood, and new blood means health and strength. The red cheeks, good appetite, increasing weight and strength that follow the use of these Pills prove their great value to thin-blooded people. Here is an example. Mrs. R. Steele, 1400 Road, P.E.I., says: "Following child-birth I took a pain in my head which grew so bad I had to call in a doctor. He told me that my blood had turned to water and that I was in a serious condition. He treated me four months, but still the pain remained, and my condition was growing pitiable. I lost my appetite and was so weak and run down that I could no more than walk across a room. I was as pale as a corpse, and the doctor told my friends he had but little hopes of my getting better. A cousin who came to see me urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I sent and got a supply. In about a month after beginning their use I had much relief, and by the time I had taken six more boxes I was fully cured and felt as well as ever I did in my life. I have never had a twinge of the pain since, and feel that I owe my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as they cured me after the doctor had failed."

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A Heavenly Gift

A girl with pretty, rosy cheeks was walking down a street in a southern city when she heard a clubman say to his companion:

By heaven, she's painted!

Turning quickly about she said with dignity: Yes, and by heaven only.

Regularity

of the bowels is an absolute necessity for good health. Unless the waste matter from the food which collects there is got rid of at least once a day, it decays and poisons the whole body, causing biliousness, indigestion and sick headaches. Salts and other harsh mineral purgatives irritate the delicate lining of the bowels. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills—entirely vegetable—regulate the bowels effectively without weakening, sickening or griping. Use

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The Fashionable Face

Browne—Say, old man, I haven't seen or heard anything of my wife in two or three weeks. You haven't seen her lately, have you?

Swellington—No; maybe she's at home. Have you looked?

Browne—No, by Jove! Never did think of that.

No child should be allowed to suffer for an hour from worms when prompt relief can be got in a simple but strong remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Admiral Peary declares there is a great deal of work remaining to be done in the arctic regions. But the European emigrants continue to purchase passage tickets to the Canada instead of Greenland.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Noted on Autographs

During an interval in London W. O. Scully, so he tells in "Further Reminiscences of a South African Pioneer," had rooms in Piccadilly with a landlady of snobbish tendencies, who made a cult of "superior persons." He tells this amusing experience.

I had been for a short visit to Rudyard Kipling at Rottingdean and had brought back a bunch of roses from his garden. Seeing that Mrs. Wand was so proud of her celebrities, I thought I would let her know that I, too, knew a celebrity, so when she came to set the breakfast table next morning I pointed to the flowers and said:

There, Mrs. Wand, you would never guess where these roses came from. They came from the garden of the great Mr. Kipling.

Mrs. Kipling. Who's he?

Good gracious, I exclaimed. Surely you know who Mr. Kipling is. Why his autograph is worth a guinea.

Mrs. Wand left the room without replying. She returned a few minutes later with a look of skepticism on her face, and as she put down the toast rack, remarked:

Well, he ought to be good looking at that.

Moss Bread

A kind of bread is made along the Columbia river by the Indians from a moss that grows on the spruce fir tree. The moss is prepared by placing it in heaps, sprinkling it with water and permitting it to ferment. Then it is rolled into balls as big as a man's head and these are baked in pits.

There is a vast difference between those who have something to say and those who want to say something.

Some people don't believe all they say, but they expect others to.

Some Surprise for the Doctor

There is a story current about a widely known London doctor. About 3 o'clock one morning he was rung up by a wealthy patient and begged to come over at once. Turning out of bed he rushed off expecting to find the man in extremis. Imagine his surprise at being ushered into a dining room where a gay supper party was assembled. The first remark made to him was: "Oh, doctor, I am so glad you have come. We wanted you to settle a bet as to exactly where the diaphragm is. He not only told them where the diaphragm was, but told them many other things. The patient tried to mollify him by asking his fee. Still furiously angry he named a staggering one which to his surprise was paid on the spot."

Knowing Him

Johnson—How is it that you never speak to Jones now? You used to be quite friendly with him at one time.

Brown—Well, you see, it's like this. When I knew him I didn't know him, but now that I do know him I don't know him.

Strangled With Asthma is the only expression that seems to convey what is endured from an attack of this trouble. The relief from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is beyond measure. Where all was suffering comes comfort and rest. Breathing becomes normal and the bronchial tubes completely cleared. This unequalled remedy is worth many times its price to all who use it.

London is rebelling against highly paid American vaudeville stars. The wonder is that it did not sooner discover they are not very funny. The tragedy is that they may now return.

Son, this is fact, I'm telling you, You'll find this good advice, If you must get a skate on, you'll Will never cut much ice.

The average citizen who four months ago knew nothing whatever about the theory of money and the principles of currency knows just as much now.

It takes a female detective to follow the fashions.

GIN PILLS FOR WOMEN

Read What Mrs. Harris Says About Them

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The joy at the head of the class will state what were the dark ages of the world.

Boy hesitates.

Next, Master Jones can you tell me what the dark ages were?

I guess they were the ages before spectacles were invented.

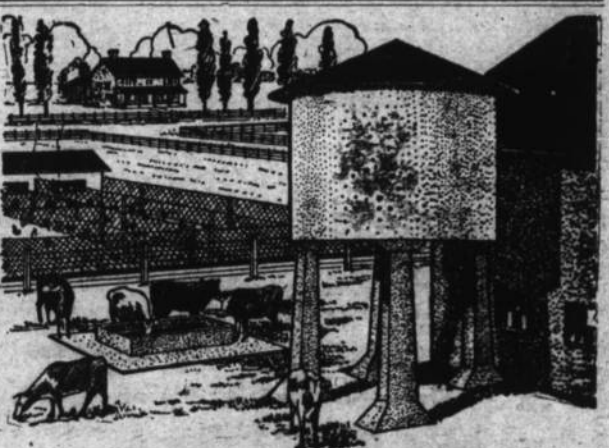
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PURITY

A Lesson In Giving

It Came Near Breaking an Engagement.

By CECILIA A. LOIZEAUX.

"Of course I like you to be sympathetic and generous—it's all a part of you. But I do wish you could be made to see the evils of such recklessly indiscriminate giving," said Howard.

They had just passed a one armed beggar, who had stepped in front of them with his monotonous whine for coins. Howard, after a sharp glance, had said curtly, "Stand aside!" and had brushed away the extended hand and taken Beth's arm to guide her past. But with an exclamation of pity the girl had turned back to empty into the man's hand all the change in her little gold mesh purse.

"My giving is not indiscriminate. That man was maimed—he had only one arm—and the other one was trembling from palsy or weakness," answered Beth, with some heat.

"My dear, that man's hand is trembling from drink, and as likely as not he has another arm under his coat. You don't realize what frauds these professional beggars are. Can't you see, Beth, that it's the principle of the thing that is wrong? The money you give so carelessly might better be used for people who really need it, and you seldom find that kind begging on the streets."

They had reached Beth's home by this time, and, as usual, Howard went in with her for the afternoon tea Beth always made by the living room fire. When they entered the house the subject was not continued, though they both felt dissatisfied. Beth busied herself at the little table silently. There was an angry light in her eyes. She told herself that Howard was not quite what she had thought him.

Howard was about to go when the front door opened and shut, and Beth's Uncle John, with whom she had lived since the death of her parents, came in and went up the stairs to his room. Howard settled back into his chair, for he liked Beth's uncle, who was a jolly old man. But Beth looked unconsciously nervous, rattled the tea things and rang the bell for more hot water. She jumped guiltily as an irate voice from upstairs called, "Beth!"

"Yes, uncle, what is it?" she called back, going to the foot of the stairs.

"What have you done with my gray smoking jacket and those black slippers? I can't find them anywhere, and I left them right here in my room. I wish Mary wouldn't have cleaning up streaks."

Beth darted a queer glance at Howard and then ran up the stairs. She spoke so softly that Howard could not hear what she said, but her uncle's voice was far-reaching, and the young man listened shamelessly, for he guessed what was the matter. Now he grinned silently to himself as the one-sided conversation went on.

"What the deuce!" he was fairly roaring. "That jacket is the only one I've ever had that's any good. And I look like a peeled onion in that purple thing, and you know it." There was a silence. Then the voice in somewhat softer tones went on:

"Well, if you can't rest unless you're giving things away and my things are attractive to you, you just make it a point to ask me what I can get along without. Well, then, give me my old slippers."

Another silence.

"Do you mean to tell me that you gave away that pair of slippers that I've been breaking in for a year and just got adjusted to my feet? By George! Who got those?"

Silence.

"Well, he didn't need them as bad as I do. He couldn't feed my smoking jacket to a starving baby, and those slippers will fit his sick wife to perfection, I suppose. What else did you give him?"

Another silence—then a snort.

"There! That's enough! Don't tell me too much at once! I'm liable to get mad!" When he heard Beth's heel taps on the stairs Howard strolled to the farthest window and turned innocently around to speak to Beth as if nothing had happened. Her face was red and her eyes wet.

"Uncle's cross tonight," she said airily. "I—he acts as if he had lost something." She did not speak again, but began to make fresh tea, and in a minute or two her uncle appeared in the doorway. He had on a purple silk jacket and a purple cap stuck jauntily over one ear on his bald head.

"Look like the abash's butter, don't it?" the elder man said as he carefully lowered his heavy figure into his easy chair and stuck his feet out before him. "Your turn will come. You'll live to see your best shoes tripping down the street, and you'll meet your hats and coats and trousers strolling about the city until you won't know whether you're dreaming or whether there are two of you."

Howard was a little uneasy. He looked at Beth and smiled, and she looked back coldly, thinking that she read "I told you so" in his face. She disappeared when she had given her uncle his tea and did not come down again until Howard was gone and dinner was ready.

The next morning Beth spent in overhauling all her clothes, piling into

a great heap on the floor everything that she did not like or was a little soiled. And on the top she put the spring suit that Howard liked so much. It was a little dirty around the edge of the skirt, though that was not why she added it to the pile.

"That's mine at any rate," she said to herself as she gathered the garments into her arms and carried them to the basement, where she bestowed them all upon the new laundress. That woman left in a hurry before her day's work was done, fearing that Beth would change her mind.

Two days later Howard started up to Beth's in his car to take her out for a long drive, as arranged with her over the phone. What was his amazement, therefore, as he drove slowly through the downtown streets to see Beth in her gray walking suit and toque just disappearing around a corner. He called to her, but she did not hear, and the young fellow stopped the machine. With set chin and tightened lips and hurt eyes he drove slowly on up the hill and past the house, where Beth in a blue dress waited in the hall.

When she saw Howard whiz by, never once glancing at the house, she was first indignant and then angry. And after an hour of deliberation, during which her wrath increased, she rang for a messenger and put into his hands a note and a little sealed packet which contained her ring.

She came down to dinner pale and wan. Her uncle looked at her sharply, seeing traces of tears, and decided that he would act.

"I'm sorry to speak about this again," he said, clearing his throat, "but if you must go slumming I insist that you take some escort with you. I'll go if Howard will not. I was amazed to see you down there among the secondhand stores in that part of town after what I told you the last time. I don't care why you go; it is not safe nor respectable, either."

Beth was staring at him open eyed. "I was not down there this afternoon," she said indignantly.

The doorknob rang, and Howard was ushered into the dining room by the maid. He came up to the table and put a little packet down on the cloth.

"Beth," he said, "you don't mean it, do you? I can't let you break our engagement like this without telling me what is the matter. What have I done?"

Beth stood up, looking like a fawn at bay. Her eyes were dilated with fear, her hands clinched. She looked from Howard to her uncle, but did not speak. Finally her uncle went over to her and put his arm around her.

"What is it, little girl?" he said as one would speak to a child.

Beth began to sob and then to laugh. "It's all so funny," she sobbed. "I—I guess it's mostly my fault. I gave that gray suit away and the hat too." The men glanced at each other and then laughed. Howard made a step forward, but Beth ran behind her chair.

"And I was at home," she said to him—"I was at home, and you did not stop when you had asked me to go. And I was all ready and waiting for you."

"But, Beth, I met that gray suit downtown! I was sure it was you, and I didn't know what to do. I didn't know until afterward that I had gone by your house. Don't you see, dear?" But this time he came around behind the chair, too, and Uncle John sat down and pretended to eat his cold dinner.

When Uncle John reached home the next night he found the old smoking jacket and slippers laid out for him. He smelled the sulphur with which they had been fumigated and asked no questions, though he didn't really need to be told where they had come from. He had seen Beth and Howard in the big green car steering toward the secondhand district in the morning, and he had had his hopes aroused.

Not long afterward, while Beth was busy with her trousseau, her uncle came in softly and heard her saying to a caller: "But there's nothing so unwise as indiscriminate giving. I had a lesson, and I know."

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Early Stages of Grip.

At the beginning of an attack of grip, when it is manifested only by headache and painful lameness and the commencement of a cold in the head, it is advantageous to inhale a few drops of eucalyptus four or five times a day. Pour the eucalyptus on a handkerchief and inhale by the nose and mouth. This method prevents the development of the cold and ought to be continued for three days. Should the symptoms persist after this period this method should be given up and another adopted.

In order to diminish the cold in the head, every three hours a pinch of the following powder should be taken like snuff: Boracic acid, fifteen grains; cocaine hydrochlorate, twenty-five centigrams; menthol, thirty centigrams; salol, five grains.

Or, again, fifteen drops of the following liquid should be taken as a gargle in half a glass of water at least three times a day. If possible, four times a day: Thymol, three grains; tincture of eucalyptus, twenty grains; alcohol at 90 degrees, 100 grains.

Or the vapor of a teaspoonful of the following mixture: Menthol, three grains; alcohol at 80 degrees, sixty grains, in a cup of hot water. It should be inhaled by the nostrils every two or three hours.

FLAGS FLOWN AT SEA.

Significance of Certain Colors in the International Code.

From time immemorial flags have been flown by ships at sea all over the world, but it is only in more recent years that an international code has been adopted. All the countries of the world now conform to fixed rules about the flying of certain flags, though, of course, each navy has its own secret code for use in war time.

The national flag of any ship when hoisted upside down denotes that the ship in question is in difficulties and requires immediate assistance, which any passing ship is required to give if possible.

The quarantine flag is a plain yellow square, hoisted on the foremast, which indicates that the ship has got an infectious disease on board or that it has come from an infected port. No person is allowed either to go on board or to leave such a ship until permission is granted by the sanitary authorities of the port.

In all parts of the world a white flag is accepted as a token of peace, a red flag as that of defiance and a black flag as that of a pirate. A green flag flying from the masthead of a ship or barge at anchor indicates that there is a wreck in the vicinity. The same is denoted by a green buoy placed over the spot.

When a red flag is flying on the foremast it is a sign that the ship has powder, shell or ammunition on board and serves as a warning to other ships not to come too near in case of accidents. It is called the danger or more commonly the powder flag.—London Globe.

HEAT AND COLD.

What We Don't Know About Temperature Would Fill a Big Book.

The highest honors of the scientific world await exploration in the unknown fields of temperature. Strange as it may seem, we really know very little about temperature. Between the temperature of the surface of the sun, estimated at 6,000 degrees C., and absolute zero, estimated at minus 273 degrees C., very little has ever been discovered. The field of research has been practically restricted to 725 degrees or between the temperature of liquid air (minus 200 degrees) and the first visible red of heated iron (plus 525 degrees). We know that at a temperature of 1,000 degrees C. twenty-nine metals become liquid, at 1,000 degrees gold fuses, tungsten melts at 3,000 degrees, the temperature of the electric arc is 3,720 degrees, and here begins the great unknown in the world of heat.

The hottest thing on earth is the electric furnace, with a temperature of nearly 3,730 degrees. In this intense heat even the diamond can be melted and boiled like water. But this is barely halfway to the temperature of the surface of the sun, and it is thought that research in these higher temperatures will ultimately result in the greatest discoveries of the age.

What these discoveries may be no one can foresee, any more than anyone could have foretold the results of the discovery of radium.—New York World.

Which Foot Walks Faster?

If you will take a pavement that is clear, so that there will be no interference, and walk briskly in the center, you will find that before you have gone fifty yards you have veered very much to one side. You must not make any effort, of course, to keep in the center, but if you will think of something and endeavor to walk naturally you cannot keep a direct line. The explanation of this lies in the propensity of one foot to walk faster than the other, or one leg takes a longer stride than the other, causing one to walk to one side. You can try an experiment in this way by placing two sticks about eight feet apart, then stand off about sixty feet, blindfold yourself and endeavor to walk between them. You will find it almost impossible.

Exclusive to the Host.

An instance of exclusiveness maintained under difficulties is reported from the ladies' cabin of an Atlantic liner. All were sick except one lady and a cat, which wandered uneasily about. The lady ventured to stroke the cat, remarking, "Poor pussy." The cat was inclined to respond and elevated its tail in token of good will, when from a neighboring berth came in choking tones the words, "Excuse me, that is a private cat!"

Wilds and Ouids.

Oscar Wilde once asked Ouida what she herself considered the chief feature in her work which won success. "I am the only living English writer," she replied, "who knows how two ducks talk when they are by themselves." It might with truth be said of Wilde that he was the only living English writer who knew how two ducks talk when they are by themselves.—From Archibald Henderson's "European Dramatists."

Making It Easy.

"Your daughter plays nothing but classical music."

"Yes," replied Mrs. Cumrox. "It is better so. If she plays only classics we can't be sure whether what annoys us is her performance or the composition itself."—Washington Star.

Abrasion of Coins.

By mere waste caused by coins rubbing one against another the civilized world, it is said, loses one and one-quarter tons of gold and eighty-eight tons of silver annually.

The monid of a man's fortune is in his own hands.

AN OBLIGING HUSBAND.

But There's Such a Thing as a Wife Going Too Far.

"Will you let me have my way in everything?" she asked.

"Of course I will, darling."

"Will you permit me to go home to mamma whenever I want to?"

"I should never think of being cruel enough to keep you away from your mother when you wished to see her."

"And may I have a regular allowance to spend just as I like?"

"Certainly. I shall be as liberal in that respect as possible."

"And you will not scold if I sometimes have my breakfast in bed?"

"Of course I should prefer to have you sitting across the table from me at breakfast, but if you prefer to have it otherwise I shall not object."

"You are awfully nice, dear. And may I call you up on the phone whenever I wish during business hours?"

"I should be unhappy if I did not hear your sweet voice every little while."

"I'm afraid you will forget your promises after we are married."

"No I won't. Is there anything else you want me to promise?"

"I can't think of anything just now. Oh, yes! There is one other thing."

"What is it, sweetheart?"

"Will you promise not to be cross if I sometimes call you by the name of some one else that I've been engaged to? I'm so forgetful about such things."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Crusher.

She was a young woman, very pretty and modestly costumed, accompanied by her son, perhaps six years. Just behind sat a good looking young man. The young man watched the young woman closely. For the first quarter of an hour he did not dare to speak to her. But she was so attractive that he cudgeled his brains for some excuse to begin a conversation. At last he hit upon the idea of pretending he was a stranger—a foreigner—in need of information. He leaned over and said in his best French:

"Pardon, madam. May I address a few words to you?"

The six-year-old escort turned around with a courteous inclination of his curly head.

"If you wish, sir," said he, "I will translate for you. My mother does not understand French."—New York Post.

Patience as a Virtue.

"Don't you remember me, sir?" asked the caller, addressing the man at the office desk who was poring over the market report in a daily paper.

"Remember you?" queried the man addressed, peering at the caller over the top of his gold rimmed glasses.

"Yes, sir. Don't you remember your old waiter at the chop house? Why, I recall the last order you gave me—porterhouse steak, French fried potatoes."

"Oh, yes, I remember you now," said the man dreamily, rubbing his hand over his forehead. "Is the meal ready yet?"—Yonkers Statesman.

And He Drives On.

"Say," calls the bright youth to the honest agriculturist who is working in his garden, "why don't you set a hen on your eggplants?"

"Ma set one on 'em last year," answers the agriculturist, barely looking up.

"Did she hatch anything?"

"Yep; hatched out that bed o' cock-combs by the fence."—Judge.

Give and Take.

Gibbs—Did you succeed in raising the other ten you needed to pay your tailor?

Dibbs—Hang it all, no! I boned Wheeler for it; but before I could get away from him he'd borrowed the ten I'd got from you.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Surprising Information.



Mr. Stinger—There is more than \$30,000,000 in circulation in the United States.

Mrs. Stinger—Judging from the trouble I have to take to get half a dollar out of you, I thought that there was no more than \$8 or \$10 in circulation.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Difficulty of the Times.

"Will you confess?" asked the police official.

"Yes," replied the suspect, "but first I'd like to have some evidence taken as to my truth and veracity. It's mighty hard to get a confession believed nowadays."—Washington Star.

Direct Interest.

"Wombat, lend me \$5. It's for an investment you are interested in."

"What investment of yours am I interested in?"

"My daughter wants to buy a birthday present for your son."—Kansas City Journal.

Its Origin.

Moses tapped the rock.

"Hitting the hard stuff, eh?" grinned Wheeser, early ancestor of a column conductor.—Judge.

ADMISSION TO WEST POINT.

What the Proposed Change in Conditions Would Accomplish.

The proposition is under consideration for a change in the conditions for admission to West Point.

It is not proposed to lower the standards of admission, but to admit any designated candidate who has passed without conditions the entrance examinations to a university or college the standing of which is satisfactory to the academic board. It is also proposed to admit those who have passed what is known as the American college board examinations without conditions, provided in both cases that the mathematical standard is equal to that required for admission to West Point. Of course such candidates will be subject to the same physical examination as others.

It is believed that this is a step forward, as it will enable young men who are preparing for college to go on and complete their education if they should have failed to secure an appointment to West Point. They can thus prepare for college and for West Point at the same time, and this plan will put West Point in line to secure some of the brightest young men who are seeking a higher education.

Not only will it decrease the number of vacancies at the academy, but it is the general belief that young men selected from those prepared for college will have a broader education and less liable to fall if they should enter the academy. At the same time this change will not prevent young men from taking a special course of study for West Point.—Army and Navy Journal.

THIS IS REALLY TOO BAD!

We Don't Speak Good English and Have Mighty Poor Literature.

When the American ambassador, Walter Hines Page, tells us—in some degree, at least, seriously—that better English is spoken in America than in England it really is a little too much. At the Savage club dinner the other evening he said, "On our side of the Atlantic we speak English better than you do and more of it!" The Americans are a people (or a people) that, as Charles Dickens told them, liked to be "cracked up." They are rich. They are, or seem to be, confident of themselves. They excel at the business of games. They make things "hum." But it is absurd to pretend they speak good English.

Their English and their spelling of English—which, we are sorry to say, is imitated by English writers who should know better—are most unpleasant. Their twang is sometimes so. Nor is American literature of much account. The Americans, it is true, have had Emerson and Walt Whitman, two great and original writers and thinkers, and they have had Hawthorne, Bret Harte, too, counts in a smaller way, while William Cullen Bryant wrote a wonderful little poem, "To a Waterfowl." But the list of their writers of genius or even high talents is painfully restricted.—London Saturday Review.

Painting the Eiffel Tower.

The Eiffel tower changes its dress every five or six years at a cost of from £2,800 to £3,200. The date is at hand when fifty painters will find occupation for three or four months in covering the 150,000 square yards of its surface with a new coat of paint. The shade has yet to be decided upon. The Eiffel tower started twenty-two years ago in orange, wore red in 1893, golden yellow in 1896 and silver white on the summit and chrome yellow at the base in 1907. There are people who would vote for an invisible shade of khaki for the coming renewal. The tower is now used as a wireless telegraph station, as a post for an electric device to prevent hailstorms and as a guiding mark for aviators.—Ireland's Own.

Germs on Playing Cards.

Quite a panic is spreading throughout bridge whist circles over the discovery in London that playing cards are great distributors of germs. Microscopic tests of cards used during an afternoon, it is said, reveal the presence of millions of malignant bacilli, enough, if taken internally, to kill off an entire community. It would be financially disastrous to use a brand new deck for every deal, and the use of camphor counters as a means of sterilization is suggested. Of course no hostess would think of producing a soiled pack of cards, but after a few deals and shuffles you can easily see the germ possibilities for yourself.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Grade Crossing Signals.

Danger signals at grade crossings being installed by one of the eastern railroads are expected to prove to be very effective. As soon as a train comes within a mile of the crossing the signal shows a red light and a gong that can be heard 500 yards away begins to ring. Both warnings continue to act until the train has passed when the gong ceases and the red light changes to white. Should the wires become deranged or should anything happen to the mechanism, the signal on the disk flashes to danger and remains there until repairs are made.

Iceland's Flag.

Hannes Hafstein, Danish minister for Iceland, is sure of a warm welcome when he next visits the island, for King Christian of Denmark has granted the petition presented by the Icelanders through him for a national flag. Henceforth Iceland will fly the blue and white beside the Danish colors, which are red and white.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Chilblains.

Patients who are martyrs to chilblains have not only been immediately relieved, but have had no recurrence of this annual trouble during the winter following after treatment with the galvanic current. The hands and feet are placed in two baths of saline water into which the galvanic current is directed. The current is applied at whatever intensity can be supported by the patient; if the chilblains are inflamed it may be reduced to five or six milliamperes, and the result is correspondingly slow, but sure.

The more irritating spots may be covered with collodion before treatment. The sittings are repeated daily for as long as necessary, each sitting lasting twenty minutes, and the current being passed in one direction for the first ten minutes and in the opposite direction for the second ten. From the first sitting the itching diminishes or disappears.

RAILWAY FATALITIES.

They Are Very Few, Considering the Number of Passengers.

Railway travel in the United States is not so dangerous to life as the frequent disasters might lead us to believe. The number of passengers killed annually shrinks into insignificance by comparison with the number who are carried over the roads in safety.

A New York mathematician estimates the average length of a railway journey in the United States as thirty-four miles. The record of fatal accidents shows that on the average 2,275,122 such journeys are taken in safety to each one which results in killing a passenger.

If a man were to start riding out these 2,275,122 safe journeys at the rate of two per day for each business day in the year it would take him 3,702 years to complete this amount of railroad travel. To have begun riding so that he would meet his death in a railroad accident during the present year he would have had to begin his trips more than 1,800 years before the Christian era.

As fatal railroad accidents are fewer in England, Germany and other countries than here the showing becomes all the more favorable to the safety of railroad travel when the whole world is taken into consideration, rather than the United States alone.—New York American.

DOORPLATES IN NEW YORK.

No Longer the Proper Caper in the Residential Districts.

"People who get about New York much must have noticed one change that has taken place in the last few years," said the man with the red mustache, "and that is the abolition of doorplates for all except business purposes. There was a time, and not so very long ago, either, when everybody that aspired to any kind of social prominence decorated his front door with a plate on which his name was engraved. These plates were made of all kinds of metal, ranging from tin to solid silver, according to the prosperity of the owner. Some of them were very expensive. I happened to be in the engraving business when the doorplate craze was raging in its most virulent form, and I know for a fact that we turned out any number of plates that amounted up to and even beyond the fifty dollar mark.

"There was a peculiar thing. There were forty houses in one block. Each was ornamented with a doorplate, and on twenty-one of these houses the name was Green. I went over to that neighborhood the other day out of curiosity. There are no doorplates there now, and I had no means of ascertaining whether the Green colony still sticks to its old haunts."—New York Times.

Nevel Electric Advertising.

A western retail dealer is securing for himself a measure of publicity quite out of proportion to its cost. This dealer has had all the lamps in his store wired to a switch, which can be operated by a push button outside the entrance. Over the button there is a sign reading, "You Can See Our Store by Pushing the Button." Many of those who pass during the evening hours yield to their curiosity and push the button, whereupon the entire interior is lighted. The lamps are cut off automatically as soon as the switch is released, and the scheme has caused considerable comment.—Electrical World.

High Cost of War.

Colonel E. Picard finds that the firing of one shell of the French twelve inch naval guns costs 4,350 francs, or about \$870. This amount is divided as follows: The cost of the projectile, which weighs about 970 pounds, is \$300. The charge weighs about 297 pounds and costs about \$300. The gun costs about \$70,000. Taking the life of the gun at about 200 shots, each shot would cost about \$350 in wear of gun.

Children and Sleep.

A medical expert declares that much of the present increase in insanity in the young is due to the prolonged deficiency in the amount of sleep which is obtained. Children under five should sleep at least twelve hours a day and from that age to fifteen years at least ten hours.



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SPRING AND SPORT

NOW that the weather is getting round to it's more congenial side one begins to think of outdoor recreation. Visions of subscription lists float before one's eyes and we get into a condition which leads us to anticipate the almost immediate call of the baseball, football or tennis enthusiast. Such is evidence that spring at hand the fancy of a young man is liable to turn in other directions than that carefully insisted upon by the poet. Doubtless the psychologist would be able to trace some affinity between the seemingly opposite paths. For ourselves we are content to remain on a secure ground and review chances of sport for the coming season.

Briefly, there ought to be splendid chances for it. Most dwellers in the town are enthusiasts of one description or another, and hearty support for an all round good year ought to be an easy matter.

The baseball club will doubtless get under way at the earliest possible moment and for this there will be as there always has been sufficient interest to carry on a good season. As a consideration baseball ranks first. For one thing it is a national game and affords the spectators some interesting sport. A good baseball game is a sure drawing card to get the people in the town. It is a game which might be described as a good mixer and never fails to attract larger crowds than any other game.

Football is a doubtful issue. For one thing it lacks the enthusiastic support accorded to baseball, and for another it is too vigorous a play under a July temperature. In past seasons there have been brave attempts to form a club and they were not altogether without success. The only point we believe which wasn't successful was the financial end.

Besides these games there is tennis. Some mention has already been made of forming a tennis club and from the amount of interest shown heretofore, there is no reason why Vulcan should not have as good a tennis club as any of the neighbouring towns. A start in this direction was made last year and although it failed to fulfil expectations a commencement this year ought to carry the game to a higher plane and make it worth while for the town.

Taken all round prospects for a season of good sports are excellent and we shall do all in our power to assist the town in its endeavour to start its various clubs.

A CIGARETTE DEBATE

THE debate at Ottawa on March 9th, on Mr. Broder's motion to prohibit the manufacture and importation of cigarettes in Canada brought forth the usual stock arguments.

There was no doubting the sincerity of Mr. Broder himself, he was up in arms against the pernicious cigarette and brought forth facts, figures and medical opinion to weigh against his argument showing that not only is the cigarette gaining in popularity year by year, but that it continues to be harmful to a degree. In speaking of the scope of his motion it was to be regretted, he said, that all cigarette smokers were included and yet he thought it justifiable to call upon the strong to make some sacrifice on behalf of the weak. Primarily the motion was intended for the benefit of the youthful cigarette smoker who, indulging against common sense, rendered himself a physical wreck in a short time and it was on behalf of these that the grown person who hadn't smoked cigarettes until years of maturity and discretion had come upon him, was asked to make some sacrifice.

The speakers following Mr. Broder brought forth no argument with which we are not already familiar from our youth upwards and generally there was a flavour of grandmotherly interference about the whole thing.

The remarks from the prime minister were the most interesting contribution. Rather than make the matter one of legislation he cast a friendly and confiding eye upon paternal and family influence, saying that if these were exercised to-day to the same extent that they were twenty five to forty years ago we would hear less now of the need of such legislation, and nothing he had heard had altered his opinion very much in that regard. "You may place all the legislation you like upon the statute books of Canada, and you can never replace the force and effect of parental and family influence whether in regard to the use of cigarettes or in regard to the use of anything else." Incidentally one gathers from Mr. Broder's remarks that the present legislation designed to cope with juvenile smokers is not enforced, and if that is useless why go to further extremes and depend upon putting words upon the statute book? Mr. Broder eventually proposed that the resolution be amended to the effect that a committee of fifteen members be appointed to enquire and report on the expediency of enacting along the lines of the motion. It appears to be the best method in which to go about the business.

There are few who will not admit the use of cigarettes by the more youthful end of our countrymen is a drawback not only physically but mentally. Whatever argument people may advance to the contrary does not alter the fact that if they were so minded they could produce instances in which harm has resulted from the use of cigarettes.

In order to cope with this, legislation is at present on the statute books, but it has done no material good in suppressing evil. On the face of it there seems good ground for Mr. Broder's motion until we consider that the present laws are lacking in enforcement. Obviously then, the only procedure is to see what the existing laws can do before resorting to further legislation on the subject. Mr. Broder's motion has in it the threatening of the freedom of the individual for it is unfair to make the able bodied man forego his cigarette for the sake of a theory when the less drastic methods have never been fully carried out. It is one thing to deprive the youth of something harmful, it is another to employ the same force in cases where there is no necessity for it, at least until other methods have failed.

MARTIN HARVEY AND ART IN CANADA.

WHEN Mr. Martin Harvey, the famous English actor, visited Lethbridge, he was entertained to luncheon by the Board of Trade of that city, and addressed those present. Generally speaking his remarks were along the Imperialistic line. He spoke with some fervour on the reception which he had received during his Canadian tour, and remarked how very much at home he felt in finding towns and cities with reborn names taken from the land of his birth, such as Oxford and Peterborough. Passing from that theme, Mr. Martin Harvey spoke of art, a subject on which he is fully qualified to address any audience. He took his subject from the dramatic standpoint, and pointed out how such an organization as the British Canadian theatre idea would foster the study of art.

The advance of civilization is in need of art as a humanizing, spiritual force, and with the aid of scriptural quotation to the effect that man cannot live by bread alone, he urged the pursuit of art upon a new country like Canada.

Nothing could be more true than Mr. Harvey's remarks. Art is the heaven of life; the secret of life is in art. Art produces nations just as nations produce art. The production of a national art is a discovery of a national sensibility, the keynote of the susceptible responsiveness of the people to whom the nation owes its birth. Emerson reminds us "that the fine arts have nothing casual, but spring from the instincts of the nations that created them."

Incidentally no nation which has achieved greatness has reached that goal without being artistic, without having done something worth while in life. Her battles, her victories pass away, and are hidden behind the mists of obscurity; her art is as great today as it was when it formed part of her life. It is the imperishable legacy of one people handed down to another, and so it will travel through the ages, enlightening and enriching man until long after he has bent his swords into plowshares and his spears into pruning hooks.

It seems a far distance when we consider the relations between Canada and art which exists today. Comparatively she has no national art. She is pre-eminently of a commercial turn of mind. But with the settling down of the country and the tendency of the community to think of less exciting

amusement than speculation, Canada will prepare to justify her existence in the establishment of a higher sense of responsibility in regard to the things that matter, which will be her first step towards becoming nationally artistic.

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The dance which was given in the Miller Hall on St. Patrick's eve under the auspices of the Champion band was entirely successful. Despite the severity of the weather during the late afternoon there was quite a large attendance many coming from a distance. Everybody was highly pleased with the Champion band and it is with great pleasure that we announce that the home band will furnish the music at subsequent dances.

Mr. Campbell, who recently returned to Banff for further treatment, returned to Champion on Wednesday last, as Mrs. Campbell was operated upon for appendicitis at the residence of Dr. Brown. Dr. McNally, of Lethbridge and Dr. G. M. Carson, of Vulcan, performed the operation, and Mrs. Campbell we are pleased to say, is reported to be making favourable progress.

The literary society had its usually large attendance at the last meeting. The subject which was up for discussion was: "Resolved that a spendthrift is of more benefit to society than a miser." The result was a decision for the affirmative by a large majority. You are asked to bear in mind that in the near future this society will hold a Shadow social and debate in the Miller Hall. Ladies are kindly requested to bring boxes. A splendid program is being arranged for the occasion which we understand is almost completed.

Mr. R. Kelly, of the Southern Alberta Co., left on Wednesday last to pay a short visit to the States.

Mr. H. E. Smith and family from Wisconsin, U.S.A., arrived in Champion on Monday of last week and expect to make their permanent home here. They have added the T. Kortred farm to their land. Champion gives them a hearty welcome.

The famous library of the Duke of Devonshire has been bought, through a New York dealer, by Henry Huntington for the sum of \$1,700,000. The Devonshire library was commenced early in sixteenth century and contains an original copy of Shakespeare's "Hamlet" which was valued at \$50,000.

Local and General News

Mr. Walter Clark, of Vulcan, arrived back from the Claresholm Agricultural college on Saturday morning last.

Inspector Tucker was in town last week, being engaged, among other things, on wage cases.

Reports from Reid Hill are to the effect that seeding has been commenced in that neighbourhood. If there is any chance of stealing a march on time the Reid Hill farmer is the one to take it. He is proud of the reputation of his for being foremost in most things.

The dog catcher has been on the war path lately, with result that the dog pound has been fairly well tenanted. The decision of the council to get after all dogs who had not had their licence renewed has resulted in the sale of a few dog tags.

Mr. Fred Smith was the builder to submit the successful tender to the council for the erection of a fire hall and stables. His amount was \$223.75 for the two buildings, \$35 for the stable and \$188.75 for the fire hall.

The Vulcan Meat and Grocery Company have got settled down to business in their new premises and their offerings are second to none. The store is one of the best and most modern of any on the line, and the quality of the stock, all new is all that could be desired. To give them a call will pay you.

During the last week the arrival of the consignment of horses owned by Messrs Anderson and Forsyth arrived in town and were open for sale. A few of the horses have been paraded on the streets and it is not often that there is such an opportunity to see such fine looking stock. The horses were in splendid condition after their long journey and buyers for them are coming in at a comfortable rate. This will be an opportunity for horse fanciers to avail themselves of an opportunity which doesn't often present itself and it ought not to be long before the entire shipment is sold to men in and around the district.

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JUDICIAL SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

PURSUANT to the final Order for Sale in The Canada Life Assurance Company vs. Charles William Patrick Chapman et al. there will be sold with the approval of the Master of the Supreme Court of Alberta, by John Tompson, Auctioneer, at the Hall of Elvies Bros., Vulcan, in the Province of Alberta, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on Saturday, the 11th day of April, A.D. 1914, the following lands and premises, namely, the South-East Quarter of Section Two (2), Township Eighteen (18), Range Twenty-four (24), West of the Fourth (4th) Meridian, containing by admeasurement One Hundred and Sixty (160) acres more or less, together with the buildings and erections thereon subject to the reservations and conditions contained in the grant from the Crown or in the existing Certificate of Title.

THE VENDOR is informed that there is on the premises one house, 14 x 28, and addition 14 x 18, worth about \$25,000, one stable 16 x 21, worth \$5000, both frame, and both in a fair state of repair, and that there is one and a half miles of fencing, mostly two wires, around the land, in a poor state of repair, and that the soil is a chocolate clay loam. The property is in a first-class location, being in a good wheat district, eight miles from Vulcan.

THE PROPERTY will be subject to a reserved bid which has been fixed by the Master. The purchaser is, at the time of sale, to pay down a deposit of ten per cent of the purchase price to the Vendor or his Solicitors, and the remainder of the purchase money is to be paid into Court to the credit of this action within sixty days thereafter without interest.

IN ALL RESPECTS the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions approved by the Master or a Judge of this Honorable Court.

Further particulars can be had from the Auctioneer, or from Loughheed, Bennett, McLaws & Company, Solicitors for the Plaintiff, Calgary, Alberta.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 11th day of March, A.D. 1914.

(Sgd) LAWRENCE J. CLARKE
Clerk of the Supreme Court.
Approved "A.Y.B."

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JUDICIAL SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the Judgment and final Order for Sale in the Action of the Royal Loan and Savings Company vs. William Fowler et al. there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on the 7th day of April 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the Blackie Hotel in the Village of Blackie in the Province of Alberta by John Tompson, Auctioneer, the following property:—the South Half and the North East Quarter of Section Thirty-One, (31) both in Township (19), Range Twenty-five (25), West of the 4th Meridian in the Province of Alberta, subject to the reservations and conditions in the grant from the Crown or in the existing Certificates of Title. The Vendor is informed that the Soil is Black Loam on Clay Sub-soil and well adapted for agriculture, that 455 acres of the said premises are good arable lands and 25 acres good hay lands, that 320 acres have been cultivated. That the property is well fenced and cross-fenced with a barbed wire fence of three strands.

The said property is situated about 9½ miles from the Village of Blackie in the Province of Alberta.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to the Conditions of Sale which will be read at the time of the sale and also subject to a reserved bid. 10% of the purchase money shall be paid at the time of sale and the balance within sixty days thereafter without interest into Court.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to John Tompson, Auctioneer, High River or to Ballachey & MacKenzie, of High River, Alberta, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

DATED AT HIGH RIVER this 11th day of March A.D. 1914.

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Fred closed the house with his usual care. Then he went up to bed. My bedroom was over the library, and Mrs. Butler and Margery Fleming had connecting rooms across the hall. Fred and Edith slept in the nursery wing so they would be near the children. In the square upper hall there was a big reading table, a lamp and some comfortable chairs.

I was awakened by the pungent acrid smell of smoke. My cigarette had dropped from my hand still lighted and as is the way with cigarettes, determined to burn to the end. In so doing it had fired my bed, the rug under the bed and pretty nearly the man on the bed. It took some sharp work to get it all out without rousing the house. Then I stood amid the wreckage and looked ruefully at Edith's pretty room.

Three pitchers of water on the bed had made it an impossible couch. I put on a dress and with a blanket over my arm, I went out to hunt some sort of place to sleep. I decided on the davenport in the hall just outside, and as quietly as I could I put a screen around it and settled down for the night.

I was awakened by the touch of a hand on my face. I started, I think, and the hand was jerked away. I am not sure I was still drowsy. The hall was dark and quiet. When I found no one I concluded it had been only a vivid dream. Then I noticed a heavy, sweetish odor in the air. The smell was almost nauseating. For some reason or other—association of certain odors with certain events—I found myself recalling the time I had a wisdom tooth taken out and that when I came around I was being sat on by the dentist and his assistant, and the latter had a black eye. Then suddenly I knew. The sickly odor was chloroform!

I had the light on in a moment and was tapping at Margery's door. It was locked, and I got no answer. A pale light shone over the transom, but everything was ominously quiet beyond the door. I went to Mrs. Butler's door next. It was unlocked and partly open. One glance at the empty bed and the confusion of the place and I rushed without ceremony through the connecting door into Margery's room.

The atmosphere was reeking with chloroform. The girl was in bed, apparently sleeping quietly. One arm was thrown up over her head, and the other lay relaxed on the white cover. A folded towel had been laid across her face, and when I jerked it away I saw she was breathing very slowly and stentorously, with her eyes partly open and fixed.

I threw up all the window, before I roused the family downstairs and saw the silver was intact and the back kitchen door open. And then the doctor came, and was put out in the hall. Not until the doctor came out to the

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and said she was better and would I call a maid to make some strong black coffee did I come out of my stupor. The chance of doing something, anything, made me determine to make the coffee myself. They still speak of that coffee at Fred's.

It was Edith who brought Mrs. Butler to my mind. Fred had maintained that she had fled before the intruders and probably was in some closet or corner of the upper floor. It was I who found her, after all, lying full length on the grass in the little square yard back of the house. She was in a dead faint and was a much more difficult patient than Margery. We could get no story from either of them that night. It was a strange experience—the night intrusion without robbery as a motive. If Margery knew or suspected the reason for the outrage she refused to say. As for Mrs. Butler, to mention the occurrence put her into hysterics. It was Fred who put forth the most startling theory of the lot.

By George, he said the next morning when we had failed to find tracks in the yard and Edith had reported every silver spoon in its place, by George, it wouldn't surprise me if the lady in the grave clothes did it herself. There isn't anything a hysterical woman won't do to rouse your interest in her if it begins to flag. How did any one get in through that kitchen door when it was locked inside and outside. I tell you she opened it herself.

I did not like to force Margery's confidence, but I believed that the outrage was directly for the purpose of searching her room, perhaps for papers that had been her father's. Mrs. Butler came around enough by morning to tell a semiconnected story, in which she claimed that two men had come in from a verandah roof and tried to chloroform her.

The inability of Margery Fleming to tell who had chloroformed her, and Mrs. Butler's white face and brooding made a very respectable mystery out of the affair. Only Fred, Edith and I came down to breakfast that morning.

Did you find anything, Fred? Edith asked. Fred did not reply, so she repeated the question with some emphasis.

Eh—what? Fred inquired, peering around the corner of the paper.

Did you find—any—clue? Yes, dear—that is, no. Nothing to amount to anything. Upon my soul Jack, if I wrote the editorials of this paper I'd say something. He subsided into inarticulate growls behind the paper, then I heard a snuffle distinctly. Edith was crying—pouring cream into a coffee cup and feeling blindly for the sugar, with her pretty eyes obscured. In a second I was up, had crumpled the newspapers, including Fred's, into a ball, and had lifted him bodily out of his chair.

When I am married, I said fiercely, jerking him around to Edith and pushing him into a chair beside her, if I ever read the paper at breakfast when my wife is bursting for conversation, may I have some good and faithful friend who will bring me back to a sense of my duty. I drew a chair to Edith's other side. Now, let's talk, I said.

Fred had taken her hand, and was patting it gently, the while his eye sought the headlines on the wad of morning paper.

You burned that blue rug, she said to me disconsolately, with a threat of fresh tears. It took me ages to find the right shade of blue.

I will buy you that Shirvan you wanted, I hastened to assure her. Yes, to take away when you get married. There is a hint of the shrew in all good women.

I will buy the Shirvan and not get married.

Here, I regret to say, Edith suddenly laughed.

You! she chortled, and pointed one slim finger at me mockingly. You who are so mad about one girl that you love all women for her sake. You who so white instead of red when she comes into the room! You, who have let your practice go to the dogs to be near her and then never speak to her when she's around, but sit with your mouth open like a puppy begging for candy.

Honestly Edith, do I do that? I gasped. She leaned over and kissed Fred.

Women like men to be awful fools about them, she said. That's why I'm so crazy about Freddie. He writhed.

If I tell you something nice, Jack, will you make it a room size rug? Room size it is.

Then, Margery's engagement ring was stolen last night, and when I commiserated her she said. Dear me, the lamp's out and the coffee is cold.

Remarkable speech under the circumstances, said Fred.

Edith rang the bell and seemed to be thinking. Perhaps we'd better make it four small rugs instead of one large one.

Not a rug until you have told me what Margery said, firmly.

Oh, that! Why she said it really didn't matter about the ring. She had never cared much about it anyway.

But that's only a matter of taste, I protested, somewhat disappointed. But Edith got up and patted me on the top of the head.

Silly! she said. If the right man came along and gave her a rubber teething ring she'd be crazy about it for his sake.

Edith took me upstairs to measure for the Shirvan. Edith being a person who believes in obtaining a thing while the desire for it is in its first bloom. Across the hall Fred was talking to Margery through the transom. Mustard leaves are mighty helpful, he was saying. I always take them on shipboard. And cheer up. Land is in sight.

I would have given much for Fred's case of manner when, a few minutes later, Edith, having decided on four Shirvans and a hall runner, she took me to the door of Margery's room. She was very still and pale.

I hope you are better, I said. She said she was a little better. I who have a local reputation of a sort before a jury, I could not think of another word to say. I stood there for a minute uneasily, with Edith poking me with her finger, to go inside the door and speak and act like an intelli-

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gent human being. But I only muttered something about a busy day before me and fled. It was singular, but as I stood in the doorway I had a vivid mental picture of Edith's description of me, sitting up puppy-like to beg for a kind word and wiggling with delight when I got it. If I slunk into my office that morning like a dog scourged to his kennel Edith was responsible.

(To Be Continued)

Never Misses a Chance

In the campaign of 1896, said a congressman from the west, a horse thief in Wyoming was sentenced to be hanged. A large crowd had assembled to take in the event. After adjuting the noose, the sheriff said: Now, Bob, if there's anything you want to say the custom is to allow you 10 minutes to get it off. The prisoner shook his head. I don't want to say nothing, he answered, get along with the hanging. Before the sheriff could proceed with the business of the day, a young man in the crowd who was running for the state legislature jumped up. Hold on he shouted, so long as the prisoner don't want to talk I'd like to take 10 minutes to tell the crowd why this country needs free silver.

Police

A reverend canon of the Anglican church relates that on one occasion he fell to his lot to marry his footman to his cook. The footman would persist throughout the service in putting his finger to his forehead every time his master addressed him; in accordance with custom. The reverend gentleman remonstrated in an undertone: Don't touch your forehead, John, but say the words after me. Then aloud: Wilt thou take this woman to be thy wedded wife? etc.

John, bearing in mind the canon's hint, replied: After you, sir! and the assembled friends burst into laughter.

French Detective's Revenge

M. Calchas, the famous French detective, was noted for his skill as a "shadower." Having quarreled for administrative reasons with M. Lepine during the latter's reign at the prefecture, he threatened to have his vengeance.

It's no use trying to kill me, said the prefect genially. I am too well looked after for that.

I have a much better and less obvious plan than that, retorted the detective. Just wait and see.

A week later M. Calchas appeared in the prefect's study and presented an ominous document. It was the record of M. Lepine's doings day by day, hour by hour, almost minute by minute since their last interview and it was with rather a wan smile that the prefect perused it. Satisfied with his characteristic vengeance the detective assured M. Lepine that the "dossier" for that week would not be given to the world.

Probably the first time in the history of any province in the Dominion a movement has been started in Saskatchewan to form an association in different districts for the co-operative marketing of eggs, and the interesting of the egg industry. It is the desire to place this industry on a profit producing basis without increasing the cost to the consumer, and in fact, if the scheme works well, a reduction may be expected. It is proposed to have nine branches of this association; the head quarters to be at Regina. An association has been organized at Lloydminster, and others will be organized at Redvers, Milestone, Tugaskie, Forget, Graham Hill, Penzance, Elfron and Wilcox.

Two Names Unknown to Fame

I wonder who made the first umbrella? I don't know. I wonder who swiped it.

AFRAID TO EAT

Girl Starving on Poorly Selected Food

"Several years ago I was actually starving," writes a girl, "yet dared not eat for fear of the consequences. I had suffered indigestion from over-work, irregular meal and improper food, until at last my stomach became so weak I could eat scarcely any food without great distress."

"Many kinds of food were tried, all with the same discouraging effects. I steadily lost health and strength until I was but a wreck of my former self. Having heard of Grape-Nuts and its great merits, I purchased a package, but with little hope that it would help me—I was so discouraged."

"I found it not only appetizing but that I could eat it as I liked and that it satisfied the craving for food without causing distress, and if I may use the expression, 'it filled the bill.' For months Grape-Nuts was my principal article of diet. I felt from the very first that I had found the right way to health and happiness, and my anticipations were fully realized."

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"We do everything in our power to accommodate the employees," says Mr. H. E. Suckling, the treasurer of the C.P.R. "There is a great deal of time and work associated with the monthly pay day; and if we had to have it twice a month, as is the case in certain of the States—well, it would mean a lot more trouble, a doubled staff, and considerable more expense. We have to do it in Vermont and Maine, which we pass through and which have the bi-monthly payments, and I can tell you it is work. In several of the States it is the same; but wherever it is found it is because State legislators pander to the so-called labor vote. Our people have not sought for short term payments; and in fact, seeing that they know of a certainty that on a certain date, without fail, they will get their money, they are perfectly satisfied to have it once a month. Think of a job of sending out twice a month 120,000 cheques. There was some talk at Ottawa some years ago of initiating bi-monthly payments; but the matter was not pursued.

"The single monthly payment works well; it is a certain fixed date which does not vary; there is a fixedness which gives security; and it suits all the people with whom they deal. Branch banks will be found all over the system, close to the place of work and payment, so that there is no trouble in getting the cheques cashed anywhere."

The wages list is constantly increasing on the C.P.R.

A decade ago the total number of employees was something like 65,000. Today it is over 120,000 in all grades of activity. It might be said that over 500,000 persons are directly interested in, and look forward to, the monthly pay day, while if we consider the allied interests, the individual relations sustained one way or another, the commercial and industrial affiliations of the company outside the regular list of employees, we get over 1,000,000 people more or less directly concerned in the issuance, once a month, of these seemingly innumerable bits of paper which are so eagerly transmuted into bread and butter. If, however, we get beyond all those who are more or less directly interested in the company, and reach out to the various activities which depend on the company—each industrial organism with its own army of employees; if we consider every allied or affected interest, we find that the entire population is, remotely, it may be, but nevertheless, certainly affected in their lives and outlook by the operations of the C.P.R., and with measurable closeness, concerned for the pay envelope.

She Shuffled, He Cut

At a country ball a farmer had engaged a pretty coquette for the next dance but a gallant captain coming along persuaded the young lady to cancel her previous engagement in favor of himself. The farmer, overhearing the conversation went to a card table and sat down to a game of "hist."

A few minutes later the captain stepped up to the young lady to excuse himself as he had forgotten that he was already engaged to another. Miss Coquette, much chagrined, then made tracks for the whist table, hoping to secure her first partner.

Nodding to the farmer and with her face covered with smiles she sweetly said:

I think, sir, that it's time to take our "laces."

The old farmer, in the act of dividing the pack to the next dealer, courtously replied:

No, Miss S. I mean to keep my present place. When ladies shuffle I cut.

Why She Wept

When Jen Jen finally managed to wake up, he found his wife weeping uncontrollably.

My darling! he exclaimed. What in the world is the matter?

Jenkins begged her to tell it to him and finally she consented to say this much:

I thought I was walking down the street and came to a shop where it said: Husband for sale. You could get beautiful ones for \$5,000 and very nice-looking ones for even as little as \$500.

And were there any that looked like me, asked Jenkins, not altogether ingenuously.

The sales became suddenly violent. Dozens of them! gasped Mrs. Jenkins. Down in bunches like asparagus and marked twenty-five cents a bunch.

Predatory Commander

Teacher—Alexander the Great was so lover of luxury in war he ate only the rations of a common soldier. Willie—Didn't the poor soldiers get anything to eat at all?

Bridegroom—Didn't I look like a fool when I was at the altar rail? Best Man—No; but anyone could see that you were not yourself.

A Social Necessity

Why is your daughter taking lessons on the violin? Has she shown special aptitude for the violin?

No; but every girl has a taste lessons on something, doesn't she?

Pays to Repair

Repair work has cost me more than the original machine, stormed the physician.

Repair work does pay better, said the automobile man. You find it so in your business, don't you?

And the doctor finally admitted that he did.

Among other things going out of fashion are long-term wedding anniversaries.

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Hopeless

A gentleman who had been spending a holiday at a Scottish seaside village noted for its golf links asked one of the caddies if he got much carrying in the winter time.

Nae, sir, nae; replied the caddie. There's nae carrying in the winter time. Ye see, it's this way. If it's no ana' it's frost; if it's no frost, it's aye; if it's neither ana' nor frost, it's rain; if it's no rain, it's wind; and if it's a fine day, it's the Sawbath.

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Unobstructed

Mrs. Blank—My husband has the clearest head of any man I ever met.

Mrs. Franks—So my husband tells me. He says there's nothing in it.

She Jolly Well Did

Mary had a lot of cash.

"Twas left her by her 'fawther,"

And perhaps she didn't cut dash—

Oh, say, you know—well, rawther!

Guest (a famous tenor, to his hostess)—I should be very glad to sing for you, but unfortunately I am rather hoarse tonight.

Hostess—Oh, what a shame! And isn't there anything else you can do?

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Dix—Yes, agent is merely their nom de plume.

And Yet They Admire Soldiers

He—Yes, I am a soldier. I helped England win the Beer war.

She—Is that so? Which side were you on?

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Mrs. Pester—Don't you really think that women have more patience than men?

Mr. Pester—am sure of it. I have been watching you play solitaire all evening with a deck that's four or five cards short.

Mother—There were two apples in the cupboard, Tommy, and now there is only one. How's that?

Tommy (who sees no way out of it)—Well, ma, it was so dark in there that I didn't see the other.

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What did he say?
That tiger ashes kept the carpet out of the moths.
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I simply wait till I hear a man say that he is a pretty good judge of human nature, replied the veteran, and then I know he is just what I am looking for.

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Perfectly Tame
That man has a wonderfully well trained memory.
Yes. He can make it remember anything he chooses.

What is the Matter?
Janitor, janitor, is your heart granite, or
What is the matter below?
With your cold storage fire and sooty attire.
And ash barrels all in a row.

JUST ONE MORE WOMEN RISES

TO TELL HER SISTERS THEY CAN FIND RELIEF IN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Same Old Stuff

The Old Year was packing up preparatory to his departure.
Have you anything to say before you leave? he was asked.

I don't know that I have. No, I guess not. Unless—

Yes, go on.
If I had my life to live over again I would do a whole lot different. I wish I had known then what I know now. I would have—
That's what they all say. It's old stuff.

The Oldest Epigram

An epigram must pass through many hands and get much polishing before it is a perfect jewel. You may remember, says the London Chronicle, how Oscar Wilde sent on the stage the man of the world through the drawing room door with the epigram: "There is one thing I never could resist, that is temptation." But you may trace it from the garden of Eden, where the masculine plea for mercy was that the "woman tempted me."

She found her dearest girl chum in tears.
The situation was unexpected, being rather common and vulgar. But the patrician girl was sympathetic enough to inquire. Just as any other girl might.

Why, dear, what on earth is the matter?
Men are all liars! sobbed the broken hearted one.

Oh, don't say that! protested the other. That's too broad a generalization.
Well, I suppose there are some good, honest fellows who are not. But all the really nice men are!

Speaking Of Lunch

the wife said, "Bring home a package of Post Toasties"

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The Man Behind the Plow

(By Norman S. Rankin)
We sing about the glories of "The Man Behind the Gun" And the books are full of stories of the wonders he has done; There's something mighty fitting in the flag that's waving high, That makes us want to holler when the boy's go marching by; But when the shouting's over and the fighting's done, somehow, We find we're still depending on "The Man Behind the Plow."

We're building mighty cities and we're gaining lofty heights; We're winning lots of glory, and we're setting things to rights; We're showing all creation how the world's affairs should run, Future man will gaze and wonder at the things that we have done; But they'll overlook the feller, just the same as we do now, Who's the whole concern's foundation that's "The Man Behind the Plow." (Sam Kleier)

As Sam Kleier so aptly puts it in the foregoing little poem, for years "The Man Behind the Plow" (the whole concern's foundation) has been overlooked and neglected. Not only has he been unsung and unsought, unhonored and unaided, but to add insult to injury, he has been made the subject of comic weeklies, the butt of vaudeville jokes, and been jeered at as a "Reuben" or a "Hayseed."

That was so—all this was so—at the time the above lines were written, but happily it is not today, for a great change has come to pass, and the establishment of an agricultural college in Saskatchewan, a chain of agricultural schools throughout Alberta, and extension Short Course Schools in both provinces, the Canadian Western farmer is coming into his own. With schools that go to their scholars—to the farmers—instead of asking the scholars to leave home and go to the schools, the study of all branches of agriculture and animal husbandry is being taken up enthusiastically in all arts; as a consequence there is betterment of farm conditions generally, a notable improvement in the breeding of beef and dairy cattle, hogs and poultry, and in the application of domestic science to the farm home.

Since the banquet tendered to Mr. Seager Wheeler of Rosthern, Saskatchewan, by the Canadian Club of Calgary, for his notable victory over all competitors at the American Land & Irrigation Exposition, New York, in 1911, when he carried off the \$1,000 Shagbush prize for the best bushel of wheat raised in America, similar banquets have fallen to the lot of farmers in various parts of the country in honor of splendid achievements in the field of agriculture. Even a cow, famous for her copious milk supply and her title to Champion Dairy Cow of the British Empire, was honored in this way, and toasted in her own pure milk by prominent men from all parts of the country. She was Rosalind of Old Basing, from Red Deer, Alberta and was immortalized in the following lines:

Let us drink to the health of Rosalind, the cream of all the kine, Let us rise and join in a real milk toast, instead of in sparkling wine. For there never was a cow like Rosalind, Old Basing's pride and boast, And she is our honored guest to-night, together we'll play the host.

It must be great to be a cow in one of those Pullman pens, With lots to eat and a jointed name like Alice, of Old Vincennes; To have a record of fifty pounds of milk in a single day, And a college man with a big degree, to slip you a shot of hay.

Now comes a record of a further banquet, this time to famous growers of grain of the Maple Creek district, and the farmer steps forth from that shadow and obscurity in which he has, by an unintentional and neglectful public, for centuries been held.

The picturesque little city of Maple Creek, snuggling up to the main line of the C.P.R. at the base of the gently rising Cypress Hills, has long been famous one way or another, first, as a great cattle district, then, as the pioneer centre of many individual schemes, and now as the proud domicile of Messrs E. A. Frederick, G. L. Hammond and W. R. Abbott, 3 growers of champion wheat who have brought fame to themselves and honor to their city and their district. So proud indeed was the entire district over the victories of the products of their soil and the farmers who made these victories possible, that the local Agricultural Society and the Board of Trade—mark that—the city and the country getting together—co-operated in tendering a splendid banquet to which in honor of the event 175 men and women sat down.

Said prize winner Abbott (responding to the toast)—Ladies and gentlemen, if it were not for the farmer and farmers' work, we would not be here to-night. It wouldn't be possible to have those delicious foods set before us, nor would we long continue doing business in any way, shape or form. If the farmer stopped, everything would stop." (applause)

Said Mr. Frederick—I picked the bushel of red fife wheat which won first prize at the International Dry Farming Congress at Tulsa, Oklahoma, out of a bin containing 1,000 bushels, and spent but two hours preparing it. I drew my prize grain from no experimental plot, for on my farm I haven't got one.

Said Mr. Hammond (who produced the best milling purpose wheat) I will endeavor to do it again this year.

Said Dr. Rutherford, dean of the Provincial University of Saskatchewan, after graphically painting a word picture of the gradual extension of agricultural education in the Dominion of Canada, and outlining dexterously the work of the "Women's Home-Makers Clubs." "This movement will be the farthest reaching of any organization in the Province for the betterment of rural districts, for the uplifting of district farm life for the women and for the children."

Said Mrs. Fyfe (of Percy) of the



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teaching staff of the Provincial Short Course Schools, then holding session in Maple Creek, and one of the original promoters of the "Home Makers Club": "I am only a plain woman, the mother of six children, but I am proud of it and I am happy. I work to better home conditions, to bring a little joy, of interest, of comfort and of advice to lonely farm women, to better domestic conditions, and make home synonymous with the word as the abode of faith and love, of happiness and affection. Home is a sacred spot apart from the busy world, set aside from the worries and troubles of our working hours, sanctified by the love of a husband and wife and crowned with the affection and dependence of children. Bachelors live in shacks or lodgings, working girls have flats or apartments, but husbands and wives have homes, and only are they homes when there is love and trust and co-operation between them. A man or a woman will fight to defend their home, fight to the death, but who ever heard of a man leaving everything and shouldering a musket and marching off to the wars in defence of a boarding house. (Applause)

Said John Dixon (president of the Board of Trade)—Let's get away from so much wheat raising and grain-mining; let's get into mixed farming, and wal' the products of our farm off the farm on the hoof. When you rent a farm in Great Britain, you cannot do as you like, you contract obliges you to keep so many cattle, so many sheep, and so many hogs on the land, and you may not cart even one load of manure away from it. That is why the yield of grain to-day in Great Britain is greater than it was 50 years ago; that's the reason, and sooner or later—the sooner the better—we must turn to that, too."

The Provincial Short course schools "The School that goes to the Scholars," opened session in Maple Creek on February 3rd, after which they move on to Carlyle, Milestone, Alaskan, Oxbow, Colonsay and Macklin, giving

four day courses at each point. A staff of instructors or teachers accompany the school and give lectures and informal talks on all subjects of interest to the farmer. At the same time as the farmers are receiving advice and suggestions regarding the best methods of soil tillage, or the proper care of the dairy cow, their wives and daughters are the objects of instruction in domestic science by competent women teachers, of whom Mrs. Fyfe is one.

The school is justifying Dean Rutherford's opinion of its necessity and usefulness by an attendance the first day, of nearly 100, and the animated pertinent questions to which the lecturers are being subjected by attending farmers. Mrs. Fyfe, Miss De Lury and Miss Harrison lecture on "The Need of Domestic Science Training," "The Nutritive Value of Foods," "Women's Duty to Herself," "Diet and Disease," etc., while Professor Baker, J. H. Evans, D. B. Howell, J. C. Smith, and Professor Bracken are talking on "Poultry Management," "Swine Industry," "The Draft Horse," "Core of the Dairy Cow," "Crop Rotation and Profitable Farming," "The Sheep Industry," "Beef Demonstration," "Cereal Crops," "The farmer as a business man" and other topics of vital interest to the "Man Behind the Plow."

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Vulcan Market Report

Spring Wheat, No. 1	73
" No. 2	71
" No. 3	68
" No. 4	61
" No. 5	56
" No. 6	53
Feed	48
Oats, No. 2 C.W.	25
Extra No. 1 Feed	25
No. 1 Feed	23
Barley, No. 2	23
Barley, No. 3	22
" No. 4	20
Feed	28
Flax No. 1, N.W.	1.11
" No. 2, C.W.	1.08
" No. 3, C.W.	.95
Eggs	.18
Butter	.25
Chicken	.8
Pow	.9
Cattle, live	.57
Cows	.56
Hogs	.71
Dressed Hogs	.9
Ducks	.14
Turkeys	.14
Geese	.11

Golden Wedding

We copy the accompanying report from the columns of the Watford Guide Advocate of March 13, as it will be of interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Richardson of Vulcan.

"A very interesting and pleasing event took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson, Watford, on Tuesday, March 3rd, 1914, when a number of friends joined them in the celebration of their Golden Wedding. Mr. Richardson was born in Moss township near Kerwood. Mrs. Richardson, whose maiden name was Miss Jane Early, was born in Adelaide township in 1847, and fifty years ago, March 3rd, 1864, they were united in marriage and settled on a farm one mile west of Kerwood on the fifth concession of Adelaide, where they spent forty-nine prosperous and happy years. One year ago they retired from the farm to the beautiful home in Watford, where this celebration took place. They have a large family of eight, four sons and four daughters, all of whom are living. They also have thirty-five grand-children. The sons are: W. G. Richardson, Nanton, Alta.; H. F. Richardson, Vulcan; A. E. Richardson, Edmonton; and J. J. Richardson, Petrolia. The daughters are: Misses Wm. Bourn, Alvinston; Wm. Waltham, Coronation; Thos. Freer, Petrolia; and J. W. Johnson, Kerwood. There were present: one son, J. J. and Mrs. Richardson, Petrolia; Mr. and Mrs. Bourne, Alvinston; Mr. and Mrs. Freer, Petrolia; Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Kerwood; Rev. and Mrs. Curry, Watford; and Miss Myrtle Richardson, Watford, a grand daughter.

The presents were costly and beautiful, and represented two groups of friends. Mr. Early, only brother of the bride, and one sister, Mrs. Saunders, presented them with a purse of gold, while the family presented each with a beautiful gold watch and chain with "Father" and "Mother" engraved on back of case. While the members of the family in the far West were unable to be present, they were not forgetful to send telegrams and letters of congratulation, which were read during the day. These presents assembled for the midday meal, and after partaking of the usual wedding feast, all retired to the parlor, where a splendid programme was rendered, consisting of a beautifully worded address, worded by their son J. J., and the presentation of the gifts, to which the groom made a suitable reply, toasts to the bride and groom and vocal and instrumental music, at the close of which all joined in prayer, led by Rev. Curry, for blessing on the entire company and especially for God's continual watchfulness upon the bride and groom that they might yet be given many years of health and happiness. The rest of the afternoon was spent in joyful conversation and after a dainty tea all extended best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and left for their homes, leaving the fifty years young couple to quietly meditate on what had taken place, as it was a complete surprise, being planned and carried out without their having the least knowledge of it until some of the guests arrived.

50000 S.S. Men in Parade

This is to be one of the features of the Fourteenth Convention of the International Sunday School Association to be held in Chicago, June 23-30, 1914. The fifty thousand men will be bible students. Train loads of men are to go into Chicago for the parade. The Alberta delegation will be in the line. This parade is to be the greatest testimony to the dynamic influence of the Bible the world has ever witnessed. It will also celebrate reaching the goal set before the International Adult Bible Class Committee, namely 50,000 Organized Adult Bible Classes in America. These classes represent an army of over two million men and women.

Alberta's share of the fifty thousand classes is at least one hundred and fifty. There are ninety-five classes now enrolled in the office of the Alberta Sunday School Association, Calgary, and the General Secretary, F. E. Werry, has sent out an appeal to all parts of the province asking for the enrollment of Organized Adult Bible Classes. All that is required to be numbered with the fifty thousand classes in America is to apply to Mr. Werry for an international Certificate of recognition, but without this certificate a class cannot be counted.

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Baseball Meeting

With the object of organizing the baseball club for the coming season a meeting was called for eight o'clock in the M. F. Earp real estate offices on Friday evening last. There was a moderate attendance, but it was considered insufficient to be able to do anything definite, about twelve persons being present.

Mr. W. Torgeson was in the chair. The question of a manager for the club was discussed, but it was decided to leave the selection over until a more representative meeting. For the position of president it was proposed by Mr. M. F. Earp and seconded by Mr. D. C. Jones that Mr. A. G. Spooner be elected to that office. Carried.

Moved by A. G. Spooner, seconded by L. Shaw, that Mr. Herman Reed be appointed secretary. Carried.

Then followed a discussion as to the best way to raise funds for the season. The propositions of a dance, and a box social to be followed by a dance were brought forward, but nothing was settled. On a motion from Mr. Glover, seconded by Mr. Torgeson, it was decided to instruct the secretary to notify others of a special meeting to be called on Tuesday eve., at eight o'clock, in the Earp office, to discuss the question of raising funds. Carried.

The meeting then adjourned until the time and date arranged, when it is hoped that there will be a large meeting of all interested persons.

Imported Horses

The horses which Messrs. Anderson and Forsyth have brought into Vulcan are creating a widespread interest among the farmers and others concerned in this way. They reached town on Tuesday last after making a record trip of fourteen days from Glasgow to Calgary. Originally twenty one horses set out from Scotland for Vulcan, but in passing through Calgary horse men got wind of the matter with the result three were left to satisfied buyers in that city.

One of the horses sold in Calgary was 'Diploma', a famous winner of firsts at both the Royal Show of England and the Highland Show, Scotland. This was one of the best Clydesdales that has ever left the old country.

One of the horses brought to Vulcan, 'Baron Neilson' is a son of the famous 'Baron's Pride', which during its day was the most famous Clyde, in the world. A three-old stallion by 'Scotland's Laird' is also a beautiful Clyde. The other stallions of the consignment are sired by 'Top Fashion', a noted sire, 'Hiawatha' and 'Prince Sturdy'.

'Daisy of Warwick' two years, is a champion filly having secured two or three firsts.

To Settle C. P. R. Lands

Ten well-to-do experienced New England farmers, with their families and settlers effects, arrived in Calgary from the east, Friday, for the purpose of taking up C. P. R. land in the Aldersyde and Lethbridge districts.

This little party represents capital amounting to about \$150,000. Each farmer purposes to buy from the company at least one quarter section of land, while the majority of them will probably buy a greater amount of land.

One of these farmers has already bought land, while the others, after inspecting property to the south and east of this city, will pick out their land and subsequently make purchases.

The new settlers intend to go on their property this spring, and break up as much land as possible before the season closes. They will go in extensively for mixed farming, as this is the line of agriculture to which they are most accustomed.

John Cogswell, C. P. R. land agent, who was in charge of the settlers during their trip to the west, stated to The News-Telegram that the settlers who reached the city Thursday were only the fore-runners, and that thousands of others from the New England states would settle in western Canada during the next few months.

"Alberta," said Mr. Cogswell, "appeals to the New England farmer as no other province does. New Englanders, as a rule, do not want to go into a bald prairie country, as they are accustomed to dairying and mixed farming. Alberta is the ideal province for this class of farming, and we have very little trouble in convincing the agriculturist of the fact."—News Telegram.

Cold Storage Act

The cold storage warehouse act of the Ottawa government is likely to be introduced at an early date.

The new act will empower the governor general to make such regulations as are deemed necessary to provide for a supervision of all cold storage warehouses. These regulations may provide for the licensing of all such warehouses, for their inspection, and also for periodical reports by the owners, showing the quantities of the several articles of food in stock. They may also provide for limiting the several periods of time during which the respective articles of food may be held in cold storage. There will also be control for the inspection of foods before, during and after the time they are kept in storage, and also for the labeling and marking of food products or packages of food products when placed in storage and when removed therefrom for sale.

The minister will have power for the appointing of inspectors and other officers whose duty it will be to carry out the provisions of the act and the regulations which are put into force. These officials will be free to enter any cold storage warehouse for the purpose of making an inspection, and all assistance and information which they require are to be at their disposal. The provisions of the act are not to be construed as having any application to refrigerating rooms in connection with hotels, restaurants, dining car services, retail shops, private houses, manufacturing establishments other than packing houses, nor to refrigerated cars or steamships with space for refrigeration.

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